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MESSAGE:

Enclosed is an Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (1 sheet) for the above-referenced patent application.

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/628,214 First Named Applicant: Steven B. Lonnes
Examiner: Thomas S. Bomar Art Unit: 3672 Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:
(1) Brent R. Knight (2) _____

(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: November 27, 2006 **Proposed Time:** 2 P.M. **(AM/PM)**

Type of Interview Requested: (1) [] Telephonic (2) [X] Personal (3) [] Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [] YES [] NO
If yes, provide brief description:

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc.)	Claims / Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1, 2, 4-5, 8</u>	<u>US 5,326,458</u>	[]	[]	[]
(2) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1-3, 12, 17,</u>	<u>US 3,033,286</u>	[]	[]	[]
(3) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>6, 7, 20</u>	<u>US 6,131,655</u>	[]	[]	[]
(4) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>15 & 16</u>	<u>US 5,704,426</u>	[]	[]	[]

[] Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant / Applicant's Representative Signature

Examiner / SPE Signature

Brent R. Knight

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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Registration Number, if applicable

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